

Amendments to Rule 3

Rule 3 is amended as follows:

Rule 3. Commencement of Action

(a) Commencement. * * *

(b) Filing Fee. When an action is commenced, a \$~~250~~ **350** filing fee shall be paid to the clerk of the court, except that:

(1) a \$150 filing fee shall be paid when the action is one described in 28 U.S.C. §1581(a); and

(2) a \$25 filing fee shall be paid when the action is one described in 28 U.S.C. §1581(d)(1).

(c) Complaint Fee. When a complaint is filed in an action described in 28 U.S.C. § 1581(a), a \$~~100~~ **200** fee shall be paid to the clerk of the court.

(d) Information Statement. * * *

(e) Amendment of Summons. * * *

(f) Notice to Interested Parties. * * *

(g) Precedence of Action. * * *

(h) Special for Actions Described in 28 U.S.C. §1581(c). * * *

(i) Disclosure Statement. * * *

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